

## Message Text

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ACTION EUR-12

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R 131500Z DEC 76  
FM AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN  
TO AMEMBASSY LONDON  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 3721  
AMEMBASSY BONN  
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
USMISSION EC BRUSSELS  
AMEMBASSY DUBLIN  
AMCONSUL EDINBURGH  
AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE  
AMEMBASSY OSLO  
AMEMBASSY PARIS  
USMISSION OECD PARIS  
AMEMBASSY ROME

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EO 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ENRG, UK, EEC, DA  
SUBJECT: NORTH SEA OIL: EC INQUIRY INTO POSSIBLE DISCRIMINATION  
BY UK OFFSHORE SUPPLIES OFFICE

REF: LONDON 19065

DANISH FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL INFORMED US THAT DENMARK  
HAS FOR SOMETIME BEEN KEEPING A WARY EYE ON BRITISH PRACTICE  
WITH RESPECT TO INDUSTRY AND NORTH SEA OIL. DENMARK, HOWEVER,  
HAS NEVER FORMALLY RAISED THE SUBJECT EITHER IN LONDON OR IN  
BRUSSELS, ALTHOUGH IT HAS HAD INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS WITH OTHER  
EC PARTNERS. DENMARK, HE SAID, THINKS THAT THE US SHOULD  
EXPAND THE CURRENT PRACTICE FAVORING UK FIRMS TO THE WHOLE  
COMMUNITY.  
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## Message Attributes

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